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1. THE CENTRAL BUREAU OF STATISTICS HAS RELEASED ITS PRELIMINARY FIGURES FOR JANUARY-FEBRUARY NONDEFENSE IMPORTS (CIF) AND THE TRADE DEFICIT. THE VALUE OF JANUARY-FEBRUARY IMPORTS IS \$854.7 MILLION UP 24 PERCENT FROM THE SAME PERIOD IN 1977. THE MERCHANIDSE TRADE DEFICIT THROUGH FEBRUARY IS \$262.4 MILLION, 17 PERCENT ABOVE LAST YEAR'S DEFICIT FOR THE SAME PERIOD.
2. WHILE THE VALUE OF IMPORTS IS RISING SOMEWHAT MORE RAPIDLY THAN PREDICTED IN THE NATIONAL BUDGET, OFFICIALS HERE STILL ESTIMATE THAT THE TRADE BALANCE WILL SHOW A SLIGHT IMPROVEMENT IN 1978.
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